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**37 CFR 1.97(c)**

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Sir:

Applicants respectfully direct the attention of the Examiner to additional art cited with respect to U.S. Application No. 09/601,385, which is a U.S. national application under 35 U.S.C. §371 of PCT Application No. PCT/IL99/00056.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to review and consider this art, in accordance with MPEP 2001.06, MPEP 1893.03(e) and MPEP 1893.03(g) and to indicate in the first office action that he has considered this art. Additionally, the Examiner is respectfully requested to cite those prior art publications mentioned in this application which the Examiner considers to be material or relevant to the present claims.

Further, in order to comply with discretionary regulations 37 C.F.R. §1.97 and §1.98, attached is an Equivalent to Form PTO-1449 listing the cited art. Also attached are copies<sup>1</sup> of the art. This art contains information which the examiner may consider to be important in deciding whether to allow the present application to issue as a patent.

Applicants wish to point out that item 2 was cited in the Office Action, dated February 27, 2004, from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, in a related U.S. Application No. 09/529,792.

<sup>1</sup> To the extent that a document is listed and no copy of same is attached, then such document is not at the present time available to the undersigned or is available in the national stage file. If a listed document is not in the English language and an English translation is readily available, such translation is also attached; if translation is not attached, it is not readily available to the undersigned. If a foreign language patent document is cited, and an English language equivalent is known to the undersigned, then such an equivalent patent is also cited on the attached form along with the corresponding foreign language patent and a connecting arrow indicated therebetween; if no such English language equivalent is cited then none is known to the undersigned.

Applicants further wish to point out that items 1 and 3-7 were cited on the Communication, dated March 12, 2004, from the European Patent Office, in a related European Patent Application No. 99 901 873.2, a copy of which is also attached hereto.

A certification under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e) is attached hereto.

In accordance with MPEP §609 it is requested that each document cited [including any mentioned in Applicants' specification which is not repeated on the attached (or prior) PTO-1449 form(s) or equivalent(s) thereof] be given thorough consideration and be cited of record in the prosecution history of the present application by initialing on the PTO-1449 form or its equivalent, so that it will appear on the face of the patent issuing on the present application, even if the Examiner does not consider it sufficiently pertinent to use in a rejection, or otherwise does not believe that the guidelines for citation have been fully complied with.

The present Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.56 as an Examiner might consider any cited document important in deciding whether to allow the application to issue as a patent, but the citation of each document is not to be construed as an admission that such document is necessarily relevant or prior art. No representation is intended that the cited documents represent the results of a complete search, and it is anticipated that the Examiner in the normal course of examination, will make an independent search and will determine the best prior art consistent with 37 C.F.R. §1.104(a), and in the course of such search will review for relevance every document cited on the attached form.

Early and favorable consideration is earnestly solicited.

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This is to certify that the information contained in the attached supplementary Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in an office action from U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in a related U.S. Application No. 09/529,792, and a communication from European Patent Office in a related European Application No. 99 901 873.2, not more than three months prior to the filing of the Information Disclosure Statement. No earlier communication listing this art has been received.

Enclosed are copies of the first page of the Office Action dated February 27, 2004 and the first page of the Communication dated March 12, 2004, clearly showing that the supplementary Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted within 3 months of the mailing date of the search reports.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to review the art in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e).

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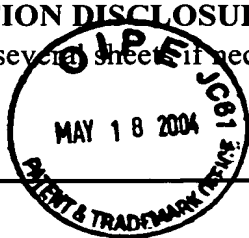
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### OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

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	7	TAKADA, T.; "Multilingual Information Exchange Through the World-Wide Web;" November 1, 1994; Computer Networks and ISDN Systems; Vol. 27, No. 2; Pages 235-241; XP004037994

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